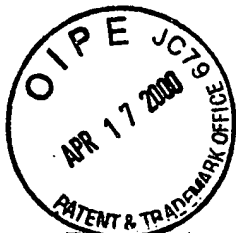


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ARTIFICIAL STABILIZED COMPOSITION OF
CALCIUM PHOSPHATE PHASE PARTICULARLY
ADAPTED FOR SUPPORTING BONE CELL ACTIVITY

April 11, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 2 months to respond to the Office Action dated November 8, 1999.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.
☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant is

☐ a small entity--verified statement attached.
☒ small entity previously filed.
☐ other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
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**Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory
limit for response to an Official Action.*

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any additional extension and/or fee
required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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